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Application No. 09/434,837

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For:

Examiner: Stuart F. Baum

Date: December 6, 2002

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Enclosed for filing in the above application are the following:

 \boxtimes An Amendment and Response to the Office action dated August 6, 2002, with:

X A Marked-up Version of Amended Specification and Claims Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.121(b)-(c) is attached.

Exhibit A

A check in the amount of \$110.00 to cover the extension of time fee.

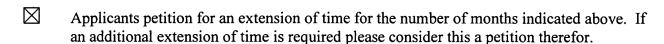
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Total Claims	27	- 32*	=	0	\$18.00	\$ 0.00
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One-month Extension of Time \$110.00						\$110.00
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT						\$110.00



- Please charge any additional fees that may be required in connection with filing this amendment and any extension of time, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 02-4550. A copy of this sheet is enclosed.
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